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Sent: Fri 8/14/2015 11:00:01 PM
Subject: RE: GOLD KING: Mine pool water levels//Sunnyside//Superfund

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From: StClair, Christie

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Hi, this is Nigel with the LA Times.

Three quick questions after today's conference call:

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Thanks,

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